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SUBJECT: CU/ARTS - JOSE LIMON DANCE CO.

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1. DEPT AND TWA ENCOUNTERING DIFFICULTIES IN PLANNING MOVEMENT LIMON EQUIPMENT TUNIS TO DAMASCUS AUG 17. LIMON COMPANY SCHEDULED FLY THAT DATE ON RB 356 ON SOLE WEEKLY FLIGHT THAT ROUTE. PROBLEM IS THAT AIRCRAFT USED BY RB ON THAT FLIGHT IS CARAVELLE, WHOSE NORMALLY AVAILABLE CARGO SPACE IS INADEQUATE FOR LIMON'S ESTIMATED 11,500 LBS OF EQUIPMENT. (CUBIC MEASUREMENTS OF 70 PIECES TOTAL APPROX 800 CUBIC FEET.) NO COMBINATION OF SCHEDULED FLIGHTS INVOLVING TRANSSHIPMENT BETWEEN TUNIS AND DAMASCUS WILL MEET COMPANY'S TIGHT SCHEDULE OF CARTHEGE PERFORMANCE NIGHT OF AUG 16 AND OF SETTING UP IN DAMASCUS AUG 18.

2. TWA WASHINGTON HAS INSTRUCTED ITS ROME SALES OFFICE
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TO CONTACT RB REPRESENTATIVE THERE TO ASCERTAIN

FEASIBILITY OF FOLLOWING PROPOSALS: (1) SUBSTITUTION
OF ONE OF RB'S 707S FOR CARAVELLE ON RB FLIGHT 356 OR
(2) CHARTER OF 707 FOR BOTH PASSENGERS AND FREIGHT.
ADDITIONAL IDEA OCCURRING TO DEPT MIGHT BE RB SEND

ADDITIONAL CARAVELLE ON AUG 17 AS "SECOND SECTION" OF
RB 356 OR AS SEPARATE CHARTER TO SHARE FREIGHT LOAD.
EITHER USE OF ADDITIONAL CARAVELLE WOULD PRESUMABLY
INVOLVE REMOVAL OF SEATS IN PASSENGER COMPARTMENT AND
STOWING FREIGHT THEREIN. AS LIMON COMPANY APPEARING UNDER
DAMASCUS FAIR AUSPICES AND AS RB HAS LANDING RIGHTS
TUNIS, MOST LIKELY MEANS OF SOLVING THIS VITAL PROBLEM
APPEARS TO BE THROUGH GOS AND RB COOPERATION, WHICH EMB
REQUESTED SEEK.

3. ADVISE. INGERSOLL

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